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**BROADCAST**  
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ET: OPEN WITH SPOT RECORDING 546..#3

GRANT: <sup>833.50</sup> IT'S GRAND OLE OPRY TIME! ANOTHER BIG PRINCE ALBERT SHOW!  
STARRING THE MAN WE'RE ALL HAPPY TO WELCOME BACK-- RED FOLEY!

APPLAUSE & CHEERS WITH SONG INTRO..HOLD TILL RED SINGS:

MUSIC: <sup>830 46"</sup> "CHATTANOOGIE SHOE SHINE BOY"..FOLEY

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: <sup>833.00</sup> WELL THANKS..AND A GREAT BIG HOWDY TO ALL MY GOOD FRIENDS  
AND NEIGHBORS OF PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO'S GRAND OLE  
OPRY! *Tennessee Ernie, come over here a minute.*

*Ernie*  
GRANT: <sup>833.10</sup> WE'RE SURE GLAD YOU'RE ALL RESTED AND FEELING IN GOOD HEALTH  
AGAIN, RED..IT'S SURE GOOD TO SEE YOU BACK, SON.

FOLEY: <sup>833.25</sup> *Well Ernie*  
~~YESSIR, GRANT, AND~~ I NEEDN'T TELL YOU HOW GOOD IT IS TO BE  
BACK...AND I WANNA TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK TENNESSEE  
ERNIE FOR DOIN' SUCH A WONDERFUL JOB OF KEEPIN' MY PLACE FOR  
ME WHILE I WAS GONE..IS EVERYBODY HERE, ~~GRANT?~~

*Ernie*  
GRANT: <sup>833.42</sup> THEY SURE ARE, RED..JUST LIKE YOU LEFT 'EM...ROD BRASFIELD!  
MINNIE PEARL! THE JORDANAIRE! CLAUDE SHARPE'S OLD HICKORY  
SINGERS! AND THE ENTIRE PRINCE ALBERT GANG!

FOLEY: <sup>833.49</sup> WELL, I DIDN'T COME BACK EMPTY-HANDED, NOSSIR...I GOT ME A  
GUEST HERE TONIGHT THAT JUST WON'T QUIT...THE MOVIE, RECORDIN'  
AND RADIO STAR..MY BUDDY FROM THE WEST COAST..TEX RITTER!

*Ernie*  
GRANT: <sup>833.54</sup> LOOKS LIKE ONE OF OUR BIG NIGHTS, RED..SO LET'S---OH-OH..  
WHO'S THAT COMIN' UP OVER THE HILL YONDER?

(FOLEY OVER)

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FOLEY: <sup>834</sup> MAN, YOU OUGHT TO KNOW BY NOW WHO THAT IS..IT'S HOHENWALD'S ANSWER TO THE FLYIN' SAUCER..ROD BRASFIELD!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON

ROD: <sup>834</sup> <sup>10</sup> *(substitute routine)*  
MR. FOLEY, THE OTHER DAY MY GIRL FRIEND SUZY SENT ME OUT TO GET SOME MEAT FOR HER LITTLE DOG, AND I'M TELLIN' YOU, I WAS NEVER SO INSULTED IN ALL MY LIFE.

FOLEY: WELL FLITTER, ROD..DON'T FIDDLE AROUND. FILL US IN ON THE FACTS.

ROD: WELL, I WENT IN THE BUTCHER SHOP THERE IN HOHENWALD AND I SAYS TO MR. \_\_\_\_\_ THE BUTCHER, I SAYS "MR. \_\_\_\_\_, LEMME HAVE TEN CENTS WORTH OF YOUR BEST DOG MEAT". SO OLE MR. \_\_\_\_\_ SAYS "SURE, RODNEY..WANT ME TO WRAP IT, OR WILL YOU EAT IT HERE!" BUT THE JOKE WAS ON HIM...  
(LAUGHS) I NEVER EAT IN A BUTCHER SHOP. I ALWAYS EAT DOWN AT THE HOCK SHOP WHERE I KEEP MY TEETH! (LAUGHS)  
HI-DY FRIENDS...(WEATHER)

BUT I RECKON LAST WEEK WAS SORTY A WEEK FOR INSULTIN' RIGHT AND LEFT, BECAUSE MY GAL SUZY COME A-RUNNIN' UP TO ME ON THE STREET THERE AND SHE SAID "ROD, I JUST BEEN INSULTED. A FELLE: CALLED ME A PRUNE-FACE!" SO I SAYS "WHY SUZY, I'LL KNOCK THAT FELLER'S BLOCK OFF! I'LL SNATCH OFF ONE O' HIS LEGS AND STOMP 'IM WITH IT! WHAT DOES HE LOOK LIKE?" AND SUZY SAYS "HE'IS ABOUT SIX-FOOT-NINE AND WEIGHS ABOUT THREE HUNDRED POUNDS AND IS AS STRONG AS A MULE!" SO I SAYS "SUZY, NOW THAT I LOOK AT YA A LITTLE CLOSER..H?-YA, PRUNEY!"

(ROD CONT'D OVER)

ROD: 83/1/15

COURSE, THAT MADE HER A LITTLE PEEVED, SO I WANTED TO MAKE UP TO HER AND I STARTED CUDDLIN' HER UP REAL CLOSE AND I SAYS "TELL ME, SUZY..AM I THE ONLIEST FELLER YOU EVER KISSED?" AND SHE SAYS "UH-HUH" AND I SAYS "YOU REALLY MEAN IT? AM I THE ONLIEST FELLER YOU EVER KISSED?" AND SUZY SAYS "OH, YOU SAID ONLIEST--I THOUGHT YOU SAID HOMLIEST!"

COURSE, THAT STARTED US A-FIGHTIN'...JUST LIKE MY UNCLE CYPE AND AUNT SAP..THEM TWO IS THE FIGHTIN'EST MARRIED COUPLE I EVER SAW IN MY LIFE..THEY'RE JUST LIKE AN IRISH STEW..SHE'S ALWAYS GOT HER IRISH UP AND HE'S ALWAYS STEWED!

UNCLE CYPE SAYS IT'S AUNT SAP'S FAULT. HE SAYS "RODNEY, I'M SO HEN-PECKED THAT I DON'T EVEN SNORE IN MY SLEEP ANYMORE. NO SIR, INSTEAD OF SNORIN', I HOP UP ON THE PILLOW AND CACKLE!

WELL SIR, AFTER SUZY GOT MAD AT ME THERE I WAS SO FED UP AND DISGUSTED I JUST WALKED OVER THERE TO THE GRAVE-YARD ALL BY MYSELF AND SET DOWN IN THE MOONLIGHT. JUST THEN THREE GHOSTS COME ALONG THERE. TWO WAS REAL GLOOMY-LOOKIN' BUT THE THIRD GHOST SORTY GIGGLED AS HE FLOATED. THE FIRST GLOOMY GHOST SAYS "EVERY NIGHT THEY MAKE ME HAUNT THEM EMPTY HOUSES.. IT'S TERRIBLE AND I HATE IT". THE SECOND GLOOMY GHOST SAYS "YEAH, I KNOW HOW YOU FEEL" BUT THE THIRD GHOST SORTY GIGGLED. THEN THE SECOND GLOOMY GHOST SAYS "THEY ONLY LET ME OUT ONE NIGHT A YEAR, HALLOWE'EN..IT'S TERRIBLE". WELL, THAT THIRD GHOST JUST SET THERE AND..KINDA..GIGGLED..TO HIMSELF...(GIGGLES A BIT) FINALLY I UPS AND SAYS "WELL, MR. THIRDOGHOST..WHAT KIND OF A TERRIBLE JOB DO YOU DO?" AND HE SAYS "MY JOB IS TO GO AROUND HOLDIN' UP THEM STRAPLESS EVENIN' GOWNS..AND IT'S WONDERFUL!" (ROD OVER!)

ROD: CONCLUDES ROUTINE WITH ONE OR TWO OF HIS PERSONAL APPEARANCE JOKES

APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

GRANT: <sup>837 15</sup> HOWDY, RED! GOLLY, YOU LOOK CROSS TONIGHT! WHAT'S WRONG?

FOLEY: <sup>837 22</sup> NOTHING, GRANT. I'M JUST SORTA OUT OF SORTS.

GRANT: <sup>837 25</sup> SORTA OUT OF SORTS! IS THAT ALL? I THOUGHT MAYBE YOU WERE OUT OF PRINCE ALBERT!

FOLEY: <sup>837 29</sup> ME? OUT OF PRINCE ALBERT? NEVER! I ALWAYS KEEP A GOOD SUPPLY ON ME. GUESS I KNOW A GOOD THING WHEN I SEE IT!

GRANT: <sup>837 36</sup> WHEN YOU SMOKE IT, YOU MEAN, RED! IT'S BY SMOKING PRINCE ALBERT YOU GET TO KNOW ITS RICH, FULL FLAVOR!

FOLEY: <sup>837 43</sup> YEAH, AND BY SMOKING PRINCE ALBERT YOU GET TO KNOW HOW EASY IT IS ON THE TONGUE. BECAUSE PRINCE ALBERT'S CHOICE TOBACCO IS SPECIALLY TREATED TO INSURE AGAINST TONGUE DITE..AND CRIMP CUT, AS WELL, TO BURN SLOW AND EVEN AND SMOKE COOL!

GRANT: <sup>838 1</sup> JUST THINK OF ALL THE FELLAS WHO'VE TRIED PRINCE ALBERT..AND FOUND EXTRA SMOKING ENJOYMENT! WHY PRINCE ALBERT IS THE LARGEST SELLING SMOKING TOBACCO IN AMERICA!

FOLEY: <sup>838 08</sup> SURE! PRINCE ALBERT'S SPECIALLY MADE FOR SMOKING ENJOYMENT, THAT'S WHY! SO FELLAS, LISTEN!: ALWAYS BUY PRINCE ALBERT, THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE!

GRANT: <sup>838 19</sup> FOR CONVENIENCE, ASK FOR PRINCE ALBERT IN THE HANDY POCKET TIN WITH THE HUMIDOR TOP. FOR ECONOMY, ASK FOR PRINCE ALBERT IN THE BIG POUND-SIZE!

(SINGING OVER)

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SINGING: <sup>838 87</sup> JUST FILL YOUR PIPE UP WITH P:A.  
AND TAKE A PUFF OR TWO  
YOU'LL GET THAT EXTRA SMOKING JOY  
PRINCE ALBERT BRINGS TO YOU!

FOLEY: <sup>838 43</sup> A COUPLE WEEKS AGO THE PHONE RANG AND I PICKED IT UP AND A  
FAMILIAR VOICE SAID "HOWDY OLE BUDDY! HOW YOU FEELIN'?" THEN  
THERE CAME A CHUCKLE I KNEW COULD ONLY BELONG TO ONE PERSON  
IN THE WORLD..AND HERE HE IS..TONIGHT'S VERY EXTRA SPECIAL  
PRINCE ALBERT GUEST..TEX RITTER!

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: <sup>839 48</sup> TEX, I DON'T KNOW OF ANYBODY I'D RATHER SEE HERE ON THE OPRY  
COMIN' BACK AFTER A REST-UP LIKE THIS, THAN YOU.WHERE YOU  
BEEN KEEPIN' YOURSELF?

TEX: <sup>839 16</sup> TELLS BRIEFLY ABOUT HIS RECENT APPEARANCES, MOVIES, ETC.

FOLEY: <sup>839 27</sup> WELL, NOW THAT YOU'RE HERE, DON'T KEEP US WAITIN' ONE MORE  
MINUTE FOR THAT NEW RECORDIN' HIT OF YOURS.."THE BOLL WEEVIL!"

MUSIC: <sup>839 44</sup> "BOLL WEEVIL"..RITTER

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: <sup>841 45</sup> MAN, THAT KIND OF SINGIN WILL MAKE YOU FEEL THE WAY A FELLOW  
FEELS WHEN HE'S SMOKING PRINCE ALBERT...HAPPY, CONTENTED,  
AND RELAXED! ~~NOW THEN, GRAB ONE O' THEM PRETTY GALS, TEX,~~  
~~AND LET'S ALL HAVE US A LITTLE SQUARE DANCE HERE! EVERYBODY~~  
~~UP!~~

MUSIC: ~~SQUARE DANCE...45 SECONDS..APPLAUSE~~

(FOLEY OVER)

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FOLEY: <sup>90</sup>842 ~~WHILE YOU'RE ALL A-GETTIN' YOUR WIND BACK,~~ HERE ARE THE  
JORDANAIREs..AND THEY'RE GONNA TELL US ALL ABOUT "LEAD ME TO  
THAT ROCK!"

MUSIC: <sup>15</sup>842 "LEAD ME TO THAT ROCK"...JORDANAIREs

APPLAUSE

SEGUE TO ACCORDIAN B.G., DOWN ON CUE FOR:

FOLEY: <sup>13</sup>844 I CAN'T TELL YOU FOLKS HOW MUCH I APPRECIATED HAVIN' TENNESSE  
ERNIE DEDICATE LAST WEEK'S HYMN TO ME..AND THE BEST WAY TO  
THANK 'IM THAT I CAN THINK OF IS TO SING ONE RIGHT BACK AT  
HIM. HIS KIN-FOLK TELL ME THIS IS ERNIE'S FAVORITE..."HE'LL  
UNDERSTAND AND SAY WELL DONE".

MUSIC: <sup>13</sup>844 "HE'LL UNDERSTAND AND SAY WELL DONE"...FOLEY

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: <sup>04</sup>847 THANK YOU-- THANKS A LOT...

GRANT: <sup>06</sup>847 LOOK AT RED..HE'S SMILING! FEELING BETTER, RED?

FOLEY: <sup>10</sup>847 SURE AM! NOTHING CHEERS ME UP SO FAST AS ROLLING A "MAKIN'S"  
CIGARETTE..WITH PRINCE ALBERT! IT'S LIKE MAGIC, PRINCE  
ALBERT ROLLS SO QUICK AND EASY. BECAUSE PRINCE ALBERT'S  
CHOICE TOBACCO IS CRIMP CUT. IT CLINGS TO THE PAPER..DOESN'T  
BLOW AROUND..DOESN'T DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS. FAST AS ANYTHING,  
ANYONE CAN ROLL A FIRM, SMOOTH "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE WITH  
PRINCE ALBERT!

(SINGING OVER)

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SINGING: <sup>847 3d</sup> SO ROLL YOUR OWN WITH GOOD P.A.  
AND TAKE A PUFF OR TWO  
YOU'LL GET THAT EXTRA SMOKING JOY  
PRINCE ALBERT BRINGS TO YOU!!

FOLEY: <sup>847 54</sup> CLAUDE SHARPE..ARE YOU AND YOUR OLD HICKORY SINGERS GEARED  
TO SING US A FULL PORTION HERE?

CLAUDE: <sup>847 58</sup> (OFF MIKE) WE SURE ARE, RED!

FOLEY: <sup>848 02</sup> THEN LET'S HEAR "ROLL ON, YOU MISSISSIPPI"!

MUSIC: <sup>848 08</sup> "ROLL ON YOU MISSISSIPPI" ...OLD HICKORY SINGERS

APPLAUSE

GRANT: <sup>849 47</sup> RED, TEX RITTER ASKED ME TO ASK YOU SOMETHING, AND..

FOLEY: <sup>849 52</sup> WELL NOW, TEX'S GOT A TONGUE..WHY CAN'T HE ASK HIMSELF? WHAT  
IS IT, MR. RITTER?

TEX: <sup>849 57</sup> WELLLL...AHHH, SHUCKS, RED..WHEN'S MY GAL COMIN' ON?

FOLEY: <sup>850 00</sup> RIGHT THIS VERY MINUTE, TEX ! FOLKS, COUSIN MINNIE PEARL!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON

MINNIE: <sup>850 17</sup> HOW-DEE! I'M JES' SO PROUD T'BE HERE!

AIN'T THAT TEX RITTER JES' THE CUTEST THING! I GUESS YOU  
FOLKS DIDN'T KNOW I WAS THE TYPE TO TURN ANY MAN'S HEAD,  
DID YOU! BUT I AM..THEY LOOK AT ME, THEN THEY TURN THE OTHER  
WAY!

(MINNIE CONT'D OVER)

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MINNIE: <sup>850 1/2</sup> WELL SIR, WE HAD US OUR WEEKLY SEWIN' CIRCLE GOSSIP AND GAB MEETIN' IN GRINDER'S SWITCH THIS WEEK..I THINK THE REASON THEY CALL IT A SEWIN' CIRCLE IS BECAUSE ANY GAL THAT AIN'T THERE IS A SEWIN' SEW AND GETS RIPPED UP THE BACK.

WE HAVE ONE GAL THERE..HER NAME'S TILLY BUT EVERYBODY CALLS HER FLO. WE CALL HER FLO BECUASE SHE TALKS IN A STEADY STREAM. IT SURE IS TIRIN' THIS GOSSIPIN' AND GABBIN'..WHY I GOT SO SLEEPY, I COULD HARDLY KEEP MY MOUTH OPEN.

MRS. ORSON TUGWELL WAS THERE, AND SHE WAS ALL HOPPED UP ABOUT THE CENSUS TAKER. SHE SAID THAT WHEN HE COUNTED HER 23 YOUNGUNS HE COULDN'T BELIEVE HIS CENSUS. HE SAYS "YOU MEAN TO TELL ME YOU'VE HAD 23 YOUNGUNS ALL TOGETHER?" AND MRS. TUGWELL SAYS " NOPE..I'VE HAD 'EM ONE AT A TIME!!"

TWENTY THREE YOUNGUNS IS QUITE A PASSEL O' KIDS..ONE O' THE TUGWELL YOUNGUNS HAD TO HAVE HIS APPENDIX TOOK OUT AND AS THEY WAS CARTIN' HIM OFF TO THE HOSPITAL, HE SAYS TO HIS MAMMY.."NOW LOOK HERE, MAMMY..I DON'T WANT THESE HOSPITAL PEOPLE PALMIN' OFF NO DABIES ONTO ME LIKE THEY DO YOU EVERY TIME YOU COME HERE..I WANT A PUP!"

AT THE SEWIN' CIRCLE THEY GOT TO TALKIN' ABOUT LEM FUDDLE'S DAUGHTER GETTIN' MARRIED. PRUNELLA PINBODY SAID SHE DIDN'T THINK IT WAS RIGHT FER A GAL TO MARRY A FELLER THAT SHE HARDLY KNEW. BUT MRS. BLUBBER BASCOMB SAID SHE THOUGHT THERE WASN'T ANY QUICKER WAY OF GETTIN' ACQUAINTED.

(MINNIE CONT'D OVER)

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MINNIE: <sup>853 27</sup> DELINDA FIRKIN SAYS SHE'S BEEN MARRIED 20 YEARS AND SHE AIN'T FIGGERED OUT IF HER HUSBAND IS KIND, GENTLE, GOOD-NATURED, OR JES! PLAIN LAZY..SHE SAID HE WAS LAYIN' OUT UNDER A TREE THE OTHER DAY AND SHE SAYS "PLOD, DON'T THIS FINE WEATHER MAKE YOU WANNA GET OUT AND DO SOME WORK AROUND THE PLACE?" AND PLOD SAYS "NOPE, BUT IT MAKES ME FEEL LIKE I OUGHT TO!"

~~HEZZY AND BROTHER AND UNCLE NABOB WENT OFF TO THAT THERE KENTUCKY DERBY RACE. THEY WANTED ME TO GO WITH 'EM, BUT I WENT LAST YEAR AND I COULDN'T SEE-NO SENSE IN IT. THEM FOOL HORSES GALLOP AROUND AND WIND UP RIGHT WHERE THEY STARTED.~~

~~WHEN BROTHER WAS GETTIN' READY TO GO TO THE DERBY THIS WEEK HE HAD IT ALL FIGGERED OUT THAT HE WAS GONNA WIN. HE SAYS TO MAMMY "WHEN I GET UP THERE TO THE RACE TRACK I'M A-GONNA CLEAN UP". AND MAMMY SAYS "YOU'RE NOT GONNA DO ANYTHING OF THE KIND! I AIN'T GONNA HAVE NO SON O' MINE TAKIN' A BATH UP THERE IN FRONT OF ALL THEM PEOPLE!"~~

MINNIE WILL CLOSE WITH A PERSONAL APPEARANCE JOKE

APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

FOLEY: <sup>853 60</sup> AND HERE'S SOMEONE ELSE WITH A BIG SMILE ON HIS FACE. BET YA HE'S BEEN SMOKING PRINCE ALBERT IN A "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE! HAVE YOU, TEX?

RITTER: <sup>854 00</sup> SURE 'NUFF! RICH, FULL-FLAVORED PRINCE ALBERT..AND AN O C B CIGARETTE PAPER. I'VE NEVER SMOKED THE BEAT OF IT..NEVER!

(FOLEY OVER)

FOLEY: <sup>914 18</sup> WELL, TUNE UP HERE TEX, AND GIVE US ANOTHER HELPIN' OF THAT  
SINGIN' O' YOURS..!

MUSIC: <sup>851 30</sup> "HE'S A COWBOY AUCTIONEER"...TEX RITTER

APPLAUSE

<sup>856 18</sup> INTO 5-STRING BANJO BY STRINGBEAN

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: <sup>857 02</sup> WELL, TIME NOW FOR ME TO SING FOR MY SUPPER! OR..SING FOR MY  
PRINCE ALBERT, I SHOULD SAY! AND THAT'S WORTH SINGING FOR,  
BELIEVE YOU ME! HERE'S A BALLAD..HOPE YOU'LL ALL LIKE IT..  
IT'S CALLED "NO ONE TO CRY TO".

MUSIC: <sup>857 09</sup> "NO ONE TO CRY TO"...FOLEY

APPLAUSE

SEGUE TO SQUARE DANCE..FADE ON CUE FOR:

FOLEY: <sup>858 4.3</sup> WELL, TIME SURE HAS DONE SOME FANCY FLYIN'...AND NOW IT'S  
TIME TO GATHER UP THE KIDS AND HEAD FOR HOME. BUT WE'LL COME  
CALLIN' FOR YOU ONE WEEK FROM TONIGHT IN THE BUCKBOARD, SO  
BE READY..BECAUSE WE'VE GOT A SURPRISE FOR YOU..THAT FINE  
YOUNG FOLKSINGER..LEON PAYNE! DON'T FORGET NOW, IF YOU CAN'T  
COME, WRITE..THIS IS RED FOLEY SAYIN' THANKS FOR EVERYTHING..  
AND I'LL BE SEEIN' YOU NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT AT PRINCE  
ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY!

ANNCR: <sup>859 14</sup> PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY CAME TO YOU FROM WSM IN  
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. TOMORROW HEAR "ONE MAN'S FAMILY"  
AND "HARVEST OF STARS" ON NBC.